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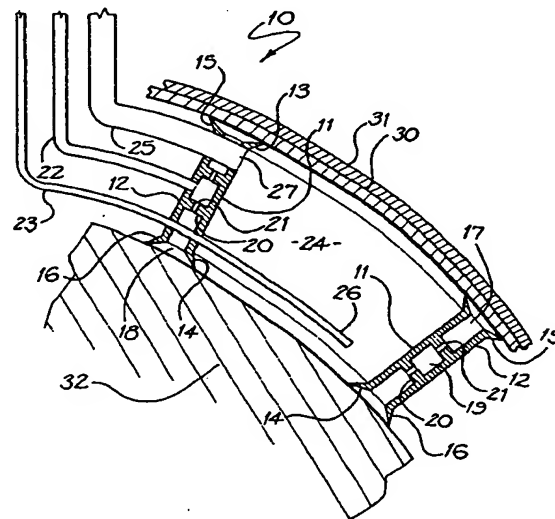
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(57) Abstract: A surgical irrigation device (10) consists of a continuous outer wall (12) and a continuous inner wall (11) which are held apart and inter-connected by one or more spacers (20). The upper edges (13), (15) of the inner and outer walls (11), (12) define an upper vacuum channel (17) and the lower extremities (14), (16) of the inner wall (11) and outer wall (12) a lower vacuum channel. A vacuum tube (22) leads from outside the body (10) into the space between the inner and outer walls (11), (12). An irrigation tube (23) passes from outside of the body (10), through both the inner walls (11), (12) so as to terminate within the central space defined by the interior wall (11) and an aspiration tube (25) which originates externally to the body passes through both the inner and outer walls (11), (12) at a different location to the irrigation tube (23).

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